

13 April 1951

The Honorable Millard Caldwell
Administrator
Federal Civil Defense Administration
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Governor Caldwell:

Thank you for your letter of April 7th
inviting me to speak at the banquet of the Civil
Defense Conference on Monday evening, May 7th.

I would be honored to be among the
speakers on this occasion if it were at all pos-
sible but, regrettably, I am already committed
to another engagement and must, therefore, decline.

With best wishes for a most successful
conference,

Sincerely,

Walter B. Smith

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Director

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